

## STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS33203 / H0679

This legislation amends 19-202A Defense of Self, Others and Certain Places. This section of code provides some protection from legal jeopardy for individuals who defend themselves and others when there is a reasonable belief that they are in imminent danger. This amendment extends legal protection for motor vehicle operators including the use of the vehicle as a means of defense and escape. This legislation also adds a new section of code to instruct public entities with the ability to close a public street or highway to provide for a mechanism that allows individuals to obtain a permit to close public streets and highways.

## FISCAL NOTE

This legislation does not affect state and or local government revenues and or appropriations. No expenditures nor additional staffing is being requested.

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